



Saturday, August 6, 2011

9 a.m. to 1 p.m.; Registration begins at 8:15 a.m. MSP Training Academy, 7462 Canal Road, Lansing, MI

To be eligible, teens must be between 16 and 19 years old and have at least a Level 2 driver's license under the Michigan Graduated Driver Licensing program. Applicants must successfully complete the Ford Driving Skills For Life Online Academy at www. drivingskillsforlife.com prior to applying. A waiver of liability signed by a parent or legal guardian is also required.

Class size is limited; registration is on a first-come, first-served basis. There is no cost to attend.

Teen drivers have the unique opportunity to learn advanced driving skills with hands-on training provided by the Michigan State Police (MSP) Precision Driving Unit at no cost.

Participants will get behind the wheel of a patrol car on the Precision Driving Track with an MSP driving expert in the passenger seat. Instruction will include skid control, evasive maneuvering, controlled braking, and off-road recovery. The event will also include basic vehicle maintenance and a drunk driving simulation.

This presentation of the Ford Driving Skills For Life program is sponsored by the Ford Motor Company Fund, Governors Highway Safety Association, MSP, and Office of Highway Safety Planning (OHSP). It is designed to give teen drivers the opportunity to learn the necessary skills for safe driving beyond standard driver education programs.

Parents—Join your teen driver at the event!

Parents who choose to attend the event will receive instruction from the MSP experts on how to prepare their teen for winter driving. They can then try their hand at the MSP driving simulator.

To register, complete the application form, available at www.michigan. gov/ohsp, and return the completed form to OHSP by Friday, July 29, 2011. Completed application forms can be faxed to (517) 241-2501 or emailed to MSP-OHSP-News@michigan.gov.

All applicants' parents will receive a confirmation email upon successful registration or a notification email that the event is full.

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